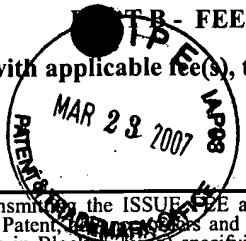


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10/781,024	02/17/2004	Yoshiharu Yoneda	60,842 (70904)	2825

TITLE OF INVENTION: SHEET CONVEYING APPARATUS AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS USING THE SAME

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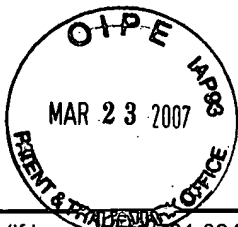
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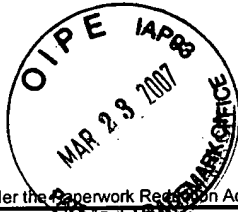
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